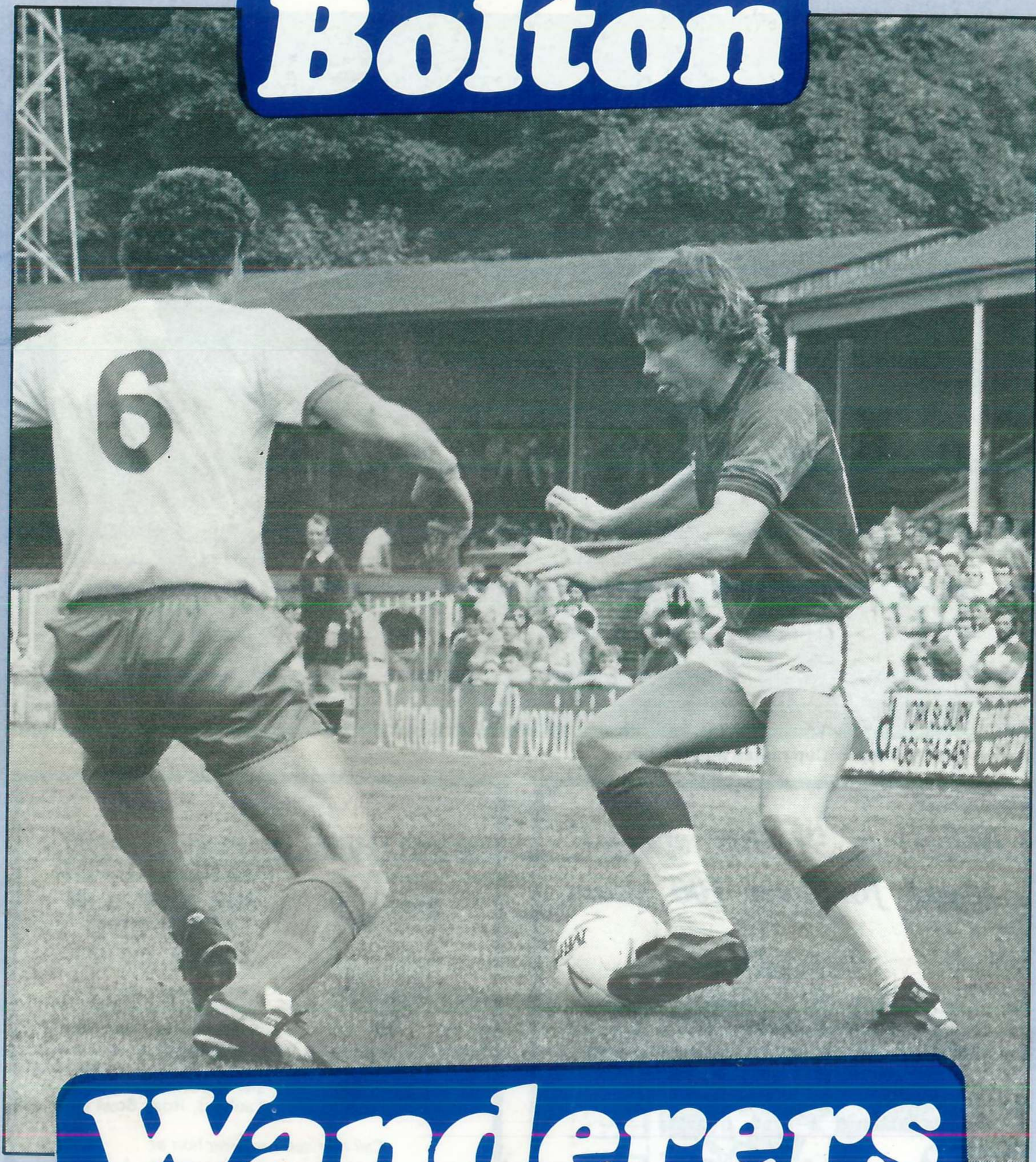


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Tonight I would like to welcome Joe Royle, a player I have played against many times, and his Oldham side against which we have had many exciting matches. Hopefully, we will provide goals and entertainment which are the two main ingredients to attract supporters. Our League programme opened with a disappointing result against Bristol Rovers on Saturday but it's worth pointing out that

nothing is won or lost in the first match of any season. I have enough confidence in the players at this club to look forward with confidence to the rest of our programme.

With the introduction of two-legged matches to the Milk Cup competition over the first two rounds people often expect teams to adopt a different style of play when playing at home and away. But as a manager I pick a side on the strength of individual players to blend together as a team and thoughts of the second leg never enter our heads. The thought of us going away from home in any match regardless of League or Cup and attempting to play defensively is a negative tactic that has no part in my planning. Negative tactics never won in the long run for teams — nor satisfied supporters.

I'll be interested tonight to see how Mike Quinn and Mark Ward perform as they are two players that, had the resources been available, I would have tried to bring to Burnden Park.

As we know Oldham are from a division higher than ourselves these days but there will certainly be no inferiority complex on the part of our players in both games.

Our opening home gate which was roughly 500 above last season's first match shows a positive attitude which is our main line of thought. Let's hope tonight we can take the first step along the way to improving on last season's performance in the competition when we went out disappointingly at this stage.

FRONT COVER: Jeff Chandler in action against Bury in the Manx Cup.



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Champions: 1972-3

Welcome to the Park

OLDHAM OLDHAM SEEK MORE CONSISTENCY

by Tony Pullein

Oldham manager Joe Royle is demanding a much higher degree of consistency, and commitment, from his team this season. There was several times last season when he felt the Latics were not playing to their full potential and he proved his point on more than one occasion when threatening to make sweeping changes if his players didn't put more effort into their game.

There was the classic occasion last November when he gave his team a verbal lashing prior to the away game at Portsmouth. Pompey were unbeaten at home at the time and Oldham hadn't won away. But the Latics ran up a 4-0 lead in the opening 39 minutes!

"I knew we were capable of better things," said the Oldham manager at the time. Even so, that old complacency crept in during the second-half and Portsmouth pulled back to 3-4.

During the closing weeks of the season Oldham were in some danger of relegation but a special effort produced three successive wins at the end and that saved them.

But it was a disappointing season all round. Oldham were well beaten away to Third Division Wimbledon (1-3) in the third round of the Milk Cup and they went out 0-3 at Shrewsbury in the first stage of the F.A. Cup.

One of the problems that gave Mr Royle considerable headaches last season was left-back and he ended up with former Scotland international centre-back Martin Buchan playing the number three shirt. He has now moved on but Mr Royle has filled the gap by signing another Scotland cap, Willie Donachie, from Burnley. Willie's vast experience spans some 15 years at the top and it is hoped his arrival will have solved this problem.

Another major set-back for the Latics last season was a couple of injuries to goalkeeper Andy Goram. Mark Grew was initially loaned from Leicester and then young Brian Parkin was given a run in the side. But Oldham completed the campaign with Jeff Wealands, on loan from Manchester United.

Kenny Clements and Gary Hoolickin closed last season in the central defensive positions with the highly versatile Darren McDonough filling the right-back spot. Nick Sinclair is much in contention here, though, and it seemed that McDonough could be more effectively used in midfield or attack.

So we could see Mark Ward, Tony Henry and McDonough in the midfield positions today.

The forward positions may well have been decided in the closing pre-season warm-up games.

Roger Palmer returned to an attacking role last season and responded by topping the club's scoring list with 14 goals. He was joined later in the season by Mike Quinn, a £50,000 signing from Stockport County.

But Derrick Parker and Joe McBride, who both joined the club last season, will be pressing for a place as will Bob Colville, who was discovered in the Welsh League and who was introduced to the side towards the end of the season.

Indeed, Mr Royle blooded several younger players towards the end of the campaign to give them a taste of League soccer. Jim Collins, Steve Bullock and Andrew Hodgkinson all enjoyed a few first-team outings.

Then, of course, there is midfield man John Bowden who was injured during the latter weeks of last season so there appears to be plenty of competition for places at Boundary Park and this should lead to a greater awareness of the current first-teamers that they have to play for their places in every game.

Oldham managed only four away victories last season — at Portsmouth (4-3), Huddersfield (1-0) and Barnsley (1-0) in the League and Stockport (2-0) in the Milk Cup. They drew at Swansea (0-0) and Derby (2-2) but were beaten in all their other 18 away League and Cup games.

So here is another area in which there is scope for improvement.

Oldham have now been in constant membership of the Second Division since winning the Third Division championship in 1974.

There was a time when Oldham graced the First Division. Indeed, in 1915 it was only defeat in their final match that cost them the League Championship. Then came the war and in 1923 they were relegated from the top section and have never returned.

In 1935 they dropped into the Third Division (North) and, apart from one solitary season back in Division Two in 1953/54, they remained in the Third and Fourth Divisions until breaking back into Division Two in 1974.

ANDY GORAM (Goalkeeper). Andy served his apprenticeship with West Bromwich but was not in contention for a first-team place at the Hawthorns. He joined Oldham during the 1981 close-season and he made his League debut three seasons ago.

BRIAN PARKIN (Goalkeeper). It was in a Milk Cup tie, against Stockport last October, that Brian made

his first appearance in Oldham's first-team. He later made five League appearances.

GARY HOOLICKIN (Defender). Gary developed in Oldham's youth team and made his bow in League soccer in 1976/77. He now looks back on almost 150 first-team games.

KENNY CLEMENTS (Defender). Kenny developed with Manchester City and made well over 100 appearances in their First Division side. Oldham invested a club record £200,000 fee when they signed him in 1979.

DARREN McDONOUGH (Defender/midfield). Darren is a player of versatility who has played in defence, midfield and attack. He completed his apprenticeship with Oldham and graduated to first-team duty four seasons ago.

WILLIE DONACHIE (Defender). Willie began his career with Manchester City and made more than 350 appearances in their First Division side. He also won 35 Scotland caps in his Maine Road days. Willie was transferred to Portland Timbers for £200,000 in 1980 but returned to English football with Norwich who paid a similar fee two years later. Following another spell with Portland Timbers in 1982, he joined Burnley and Oldham secured his services this summer.

NICKY SINCLAIR (Defender). Nicky is another Oldham discovery who got his chance in their League eleven in 1978/79.

TONY HENRY (Midfield). Former Wanderer, Tony was signed from Bolton for £22,000 shortly before the 1983 transfer deadline. Though normally a midfield player, he has also played in defence. He played his first League football for Manchester City in 1977 and Bolton invested £125,000 in his transfer in 1981. He was top scorer in both his seasons here, scoring 13 in

1981/82 and 11 the following season.

JOHN BOWDEN (Defender). John is another product of the club's youth team, coming through for his League debut three seasons ago. He has played both in attack and midfield.

MARK WARD (Midfield). Mark was signed from Northwich Victoria in 1983. He went straight into Oldham's Second Division side on the opening day of last season and played in every game.

ROGER PALMER (Midfield/Forward). Another former Manchester City player, Roger was introduced to their First Division side in 1977/78 and made 31 League appearances for the Maine Road club. Oldham signed him for £70,000 in 1980. He was top scorer with 14 goals last season.

JOE McBRIDE (Forward). Joe developed with Everton, making his First Division debut in 1979/80. He made more than 50 appearances for the Toffees, and was capped at under-21 level by Scotland, before moving to Rotherham for £50,000 in 1982. He was the Millers' leading scorer in 1982/83 and Oldham signed him for £45,000 last season.

MIKE QUINN (Forward). Mike, a reserve player with Derby, made his League debut for Wigan in 1979/80. He was top scorer with 14 goals the following season but moved on to Stockport in 1982. Mike topped their scoring list with 24 goals in his first season and hit 17 last season before joining Oldham for £50,000 in February.

DERRICK PARKER (Forward). Derrick was signed from Barnsley in 1983. His first club was Burnley but it was after joining Southend for £10,000 in 1976 that he won a regular place in League football. He won on three occasions the Shrimpers' top scorer before moving to Barnsley for £60,000 in 1980.



Back Row: Gary Hoolickin, Derrick Parker, Andy Goram, Brian Parkin, Alex Jones, Tony Henry.

Middle Row: Ian Liversedge (Physiotherapist), John Bowden, Mike Quinn, Darron McDonough, Martin Buchan, Bob Colville, Willie Donachie, Billy Urmston (Asst Team Coach).

Front Row: Nick Sinclair, Roger Palmer, Joe McBride, Joe Royle, Team Manager, Kenny Clements, Andy Hodgkinson, Mark Ward

Sitting: Wayne Harrison, Andrew Barlow, Andy Gorton, Steve Bullock, Jimmy Collins.

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Club News

In Retrospect

The Wanderers face Oldham Athletic tonight for the third time in the League/Milk Cup competition with the honours so far being even.

The first game took place at Burnden in August 1972 before the introduction of the two legged ties. Both clubs were then in the 3rd division and the Wanderers ran out 3-0 winners in a first round tie with goals from Garry Jones (2) and John Byrom. A crowd of 7,949 saw the following sides:—

Bolton: C. Wright, Nicholson, Mowbray, Waldron, P. Jones, Rimmer, Byrom, G. Jones, Greaves, R. Wright, Phillips, Sub Redfern for Waldron. Oldham: Dowd, Wood, Whittle, McNeill, Hicks, Cranston, McVitie, Shaw, Robins, Blair, Morrissey.

Bolton went out of the competition in the next round losing 2-0 at Sheffield Wednesday.

Our paths again crossed in the first round in September 1981 over two legs. The first leg took place at Burnden and although Oldham were on top for most of the game Bolton ran out 2-1 winners.

Brian Kidd, who had returned from Atlanta Chiefs only hours before the kick off gave Bolton a 17th minute lead but Paul Atkinson equalised for Athletic on the hour.

John Thomas restored Bolton's advantage five minutes later when he latched onto a poor back pass.

A fortnight later at Boundary Park the sides continued to keep up the excitement despite only 4,779 turning up to witness the thriller.

Chris Thompson gave Bolton an early lead but just before half time Roger Palmer and Roger Wylde netted to level the aggregate scores. Neil Berry, making his senior debut again gave Bolton the lead only for Roger Palmer to score Oldham's third of the evening and force extra time. If the Wanderers could have held out they would have gone through on the away goals rule despite losing on the night but Paul Heaton put Oldham in front five minutes into extra time and that's the way it stayed, the Latics winning 4-2 on the night and 5-4 on aggregate.

The teams that night were: Bolton: McDonagh, Nicholson, Bennett, Brennan, Jones, Gowling, Nikolic, Kidd, Hoggan, Thompson, Carter, Sub Berry for Nikolic.

Oldham: McDonnell, Hoolicken, Ryan, Keegan, Clements, Futch, Wylde, Atkinson, Steel, Palmer, McDonough, Sub Heaton.

The following Saturday the sides faced each other again in the 2nd division at Burnden with Oldham registering their first ever win here by 2-0 with goals from Roger Palmer and Paul Heaton. Wanderers £125,000 signing from Manchester City Tony Henry made his debut in that game and is now with the Latics.

In the Football League the clubs have faced each other on 40 occasions with the Wanderers having won 20 to Latics' 10 our full record is as follows:

	Played	Won	Drawn	Llost	For	Against
Home	20	16	2	2	46	14
Away	20	4	8	8	28	35
Total	40	20	10	10	74	49

The last time our paths crossed was at Boundary Park in January 1983 when Bolton registered their first League win there since 1934/35 season.

It was a stormy affair with Latics Roger Wylde sent off after a clash with Mike Doyle and four bookings, but it looked like ending in Oldham's sixth consecutive draw until six minutes from time when a Jeff Chandler pass found Wayne Foster who shot past the advancing Andy Goram to give the Wanderers a 3-2 win.

In the FA Cup the honours are even with Oldham winning a first round tie in 1913 whilst the Wanderers won a third round tie in 1929.

Wanderers' League Cup Facts And Figures

Tonight's game will be Bolton's 68th League Cup tie, 24 of which have been won and 26 lost, whilst 107 goals have been scored and 113 conceded.

The Wanderers' first ever League Cup tie took place at Hull City in season 1960/61 ending in a scoreless draw.

In the replay Bolton ran out 5-1 winners and since then only three ties have ended without a goal being scored with the Wanderers going out of the competition on each occasion after a replay or on aggregate.

Bolton's best victory in the competition also came in the opening season when Grimsby Town were thumped 6-2 at Burnden. Six goals were also scored in a more remarkable game in 1969/70 when the Wanderers defeated Rochdale 6-3 after being 3-1 down at half time.

The worst defeats have been inflicted by London clubs when in 1968 West Ham won 7-2 at Upton Park and Chelsea triumphed 6-0 at Burnden in 1971.

Season 1976/77 is by far the club's best ever showing in the League Cup, when the semi-finals were reached only for Everton to go to Wembley on a 2-1 aggregate.

Since the two-legged system was introduced for the first two rounds of the competition the Wanderers have not won a tie in which the home leg has been played first. The only aggregate victory during this period was over Carlisle United in 1982-83 with a 7-3 scoreline. It looked like this bogey had been laid last season when the Wanderers ran out 3-0 home winners over Chester at Burnden only to go out on a penalty shoot-out after the Fourth Division club had levelled the scores at Sealand Road.

Let's hope tonight's tie gives the Wanderers their first victory over a club from a higher division since the famous quarter final at Derby in 1976/77 and ends the run of poor results in the competition.

Down Memory Lane

15 years ago. August 26th 1969. Bolton went into their fifth League game of the season at Carlisle United still unbeaten but on a ground where they still had to register their first League win, crashed to a 2-1 defeat.

The side was the same as for the opening day of the season. Hopkinson, Ritson, Hallows, Rimmer, Hurley, Marsh, Wharton, Byrom, Greaves, Hatton, Phillips; Terry Wharton netted the Wanderers goal.

August 30th 1969. The Wanderers again went down 2-1 this time at the hands of Cardiff City at Ninian Park. The team was again unchanged although Dave Hatton dropped into a defensive role allowing Arthur Marsh to move into midfield.

Ian Seddon made his first appearance of the season coming on at half-time for the injured Charlie Hurley. It was Wharton again who netted for the Wanderers making him the club's leading League goalscorer with four.

10 years ago. August 31st 1974 Bolton faced Aston Villa at Burnden with Garry Jones replacing the unfortunate Alan Waldron in midfield. Graham Moseley making his League debut in goal for Villa performed heroics to keep them in the game but after 17 minutes the Wanderers were awarded a penalty when Ian Hamilton tripped Garry Jones.

John Byrom stepped up but blasted his kick against the crossbar and the defence cleared, his blushes were spared, however, eight minutes later when Paul Jones rose to head home a Peter Thompson cross which proved to be the only goal of the game.

5 years ago. 28th August 1979. An unchanged Bolton side faced Third Division Southend United at Burnden in the first leg of a second round League Cup tie. It proved to be a disastrous evening as they went down 2-1 before a crowd of 7,861. Colin Morris got both Southend goals with Alan Gowling heading home for Bolton.

The biggest cheer of the evening came when Willie Morgan made his first appearance of the season having returned from America, when he replaced Tad Nowak.

September 1st 1979. Bolton visited Brighton and went down to their first League defeat of the season by 3-1. Manager Ian Greaves blamed himself for picking the wrong team, namely playing with three strikers.

Frank Worthington returned to the side after his return from America and David Burke replaced Peter Nicholson at left back.

Peter Ward and Paul Clark had given Albion a two goal advantage at the interval before Mike Walsh headed home a Neil McNab corner to give the Wanderers some hope. Man of the Match Brian Horton settled the game with a tremendous drive late in the game.

September 3rd 1979. Wanderers visited Southend for the second leg of the League Cup tie but went out of the competition on a 2-1 aggregate drawing 0-0 on the night.

Bolton had a real chance of winning the game when two minutes into the second half they were awarded a penalty when Southend defender Dave Cusack handled.

Neil Whatmore's effort was well saved by 'keeper Mervyn Cawston to give United their first third round League Cup appearance for 10 years.

Junior Whites

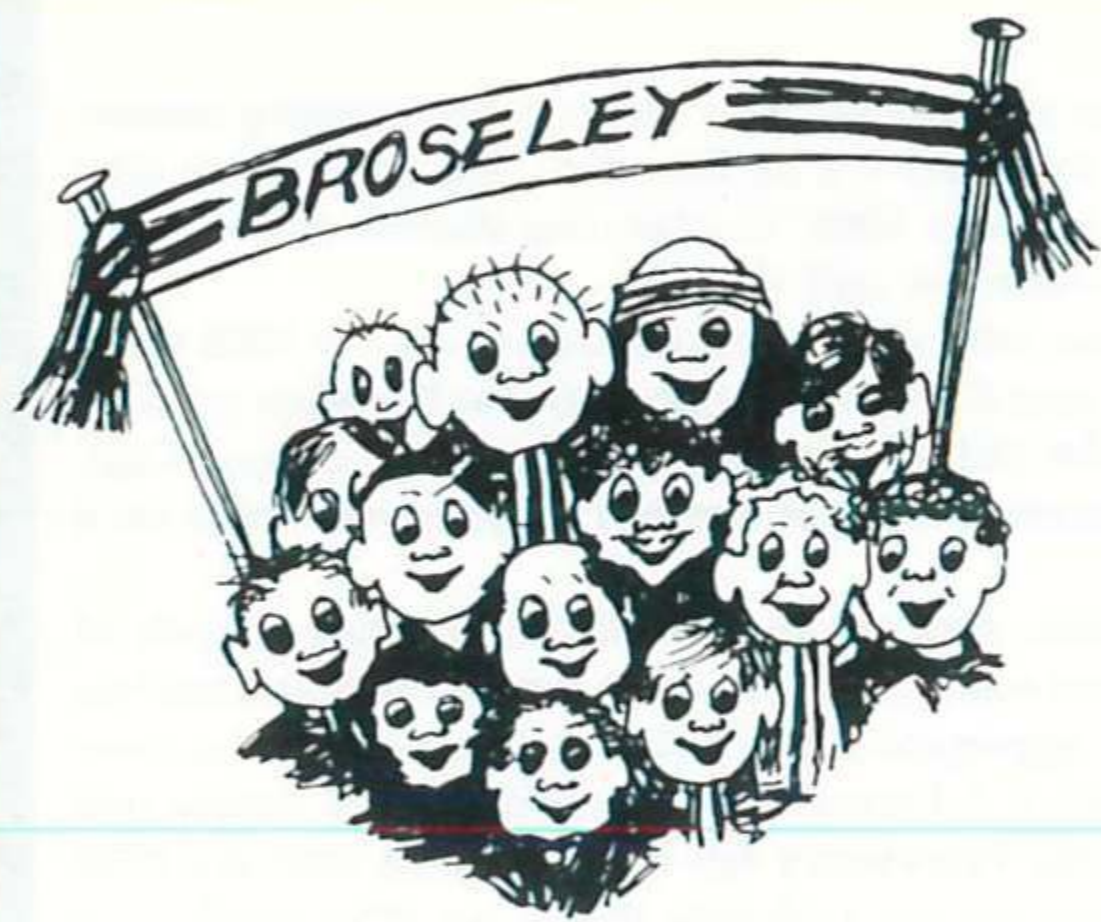
Don't forget the first meeting of the season will be on Monday, September 10th 1984 at 6.30 in the Executive Club. New members will be welcome to attend.

Adidas Marathon

This Sunday sees the Adidas Marathon in Bolton and again a number of runners will be running on behalf of the Bolton Wanderers Lifeline Society and the local charity Babies in Need.

Keep a special eye open for the Wanderers runners attired in their blue vests and any willing sponsors are requested to call in to the Commercial Office.

Supporters Club news and a look at the reserves will follow in the next match programme.



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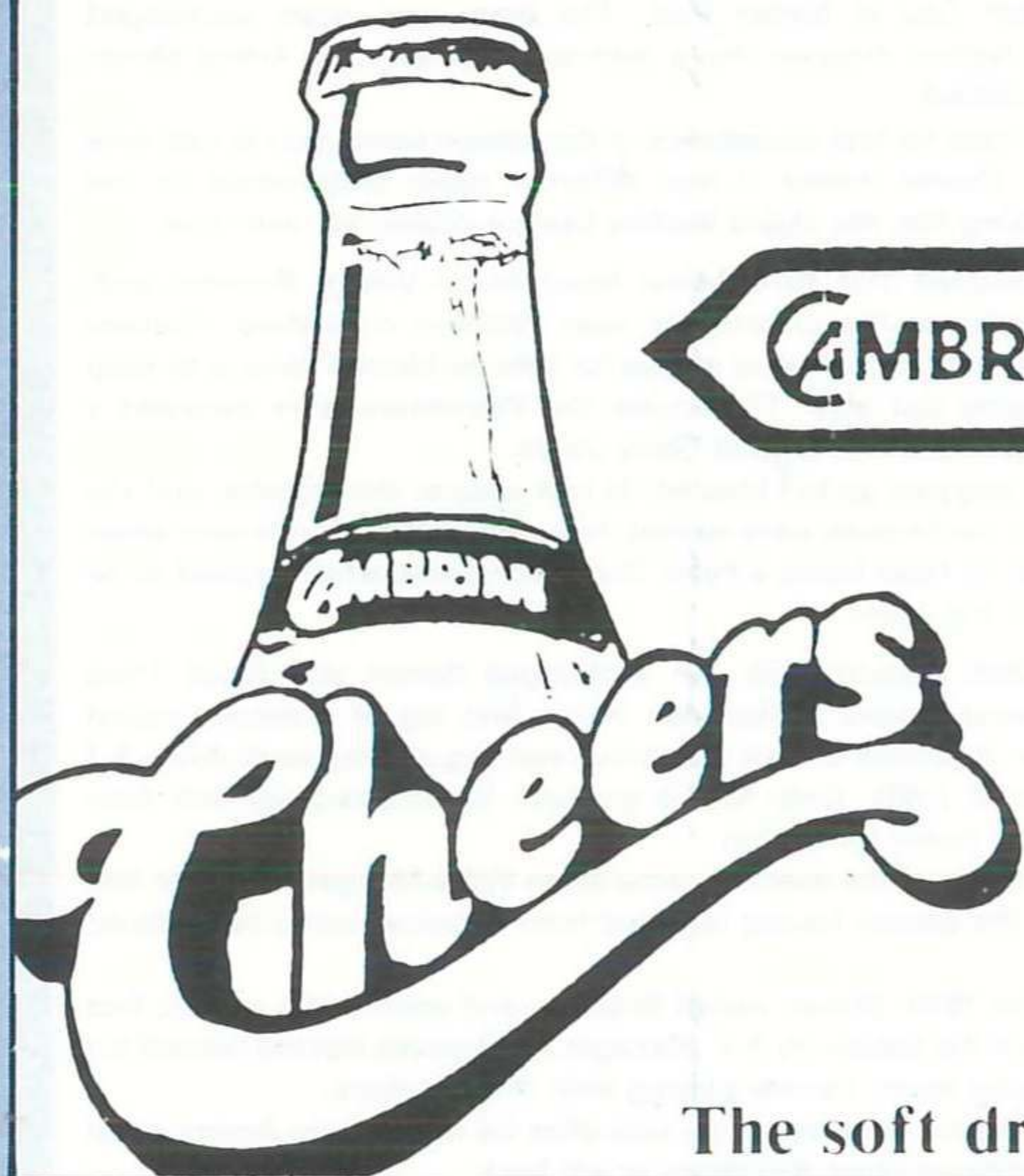
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ADULTS	£2.65	£47.75	SENIOR CITIZENS	£1.55	£28.00
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ADULTS	£3.65	£65.75	JUVENILES & SENIOR CITIZENS	£2.10	£37.75
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ADULTS	£2.00	£34.25	JUVENILES & SENIOR CITIZENS	£1.10	£20.00
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ADULTS	£2.00	£34.25	JUVENILES & SENIOR CITIZENS	£1.10	£20.00
BURNDEN TERRACE					
ADULTS	£2.00	£34.25	JUVENILES & SENIOR CITIZENS	£1.10	£20.00



The Milk Cup



Bolton Wanderers and Burnley, seen here in opposition last season, are two of the clubs who are seeking a place in the second round and a possible draw against a top side.

FIRST ROUND DRAW

Bolton Wanderers v. Oldham Athletic

Tranmere Rovers v. Preston North End

Stockport County v. Rochdale

Port Vale v. Bury

Blackpool v. Chester City

Wrexham v. Wigan Athletic

Burnley v. Crewe

Darlington v. Rotherham Utd

Sheffield Utd v. Peterborough Utd

Halifax Town v. Chesterfield

Scunthorpe Utd v. Mansfield Town

Derby County v. Hartlepool Utd

Doncaster Rovers v. York City

Bradford City v. Middlesbrough

Lincoln City v. Hull City

Swansea City v. Walsall

Exeter City v. Cardiff City

Bristol City v. Newport County

Hereford Utd v. Oxford Utd

Plymouth Argyle v. Torquay Utd

Swindon Town v. Bristol Rovers

Brentford v. Cambridge Utd

Gillingham v. Colchester Utd

Portsmouth v. Wimbledon

Crystal Palace v. Northampton Town

Aldershot v. Bournemouth

Orient v. Southend Utd

Reading v. Millwall

The first legs of the ties are to be played between Monday, August 27 and Wednesday, August 29, and the second legs between Monday, September 3 and Wednesday, September 5. The club drawn first in each pairing will be at home in the first leg unless it is mutually agreed to play otherwise, with the permission of the Football League.

A few tactical moves



The sliding tackle



The quick one-two



The substitution



The banana shot



The goal



The action replay

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PRIZE FUND RISES TO NEARLY HALF A MILLION POUNDS

The Milk Cup continues to generate more and more cash for the 92 clubs of the Football League.

The prize fund this coming season will gross up to an unprecedented £490,000, a reward-for-results figure far in excess of any other available from a British sports sponsorship.

The winner of the Milk Cup will still receive £64,000, the richest team prize in British sport. But 1984/85 will be the season in which the smaller, and perhaps unluckier, clubs are better rewarded.

The 28 first round losers, who last season picked up £1,000 each, will now get £1,500. And the 32 second round losers, who 12 months ago banked £2,000 each, will now collect £2,500 each.

As Graham Kelly, Secretary of the Football League, says: "This reflects the true spirit of sponsorship, spreading the maximum benefit as widely as possible."

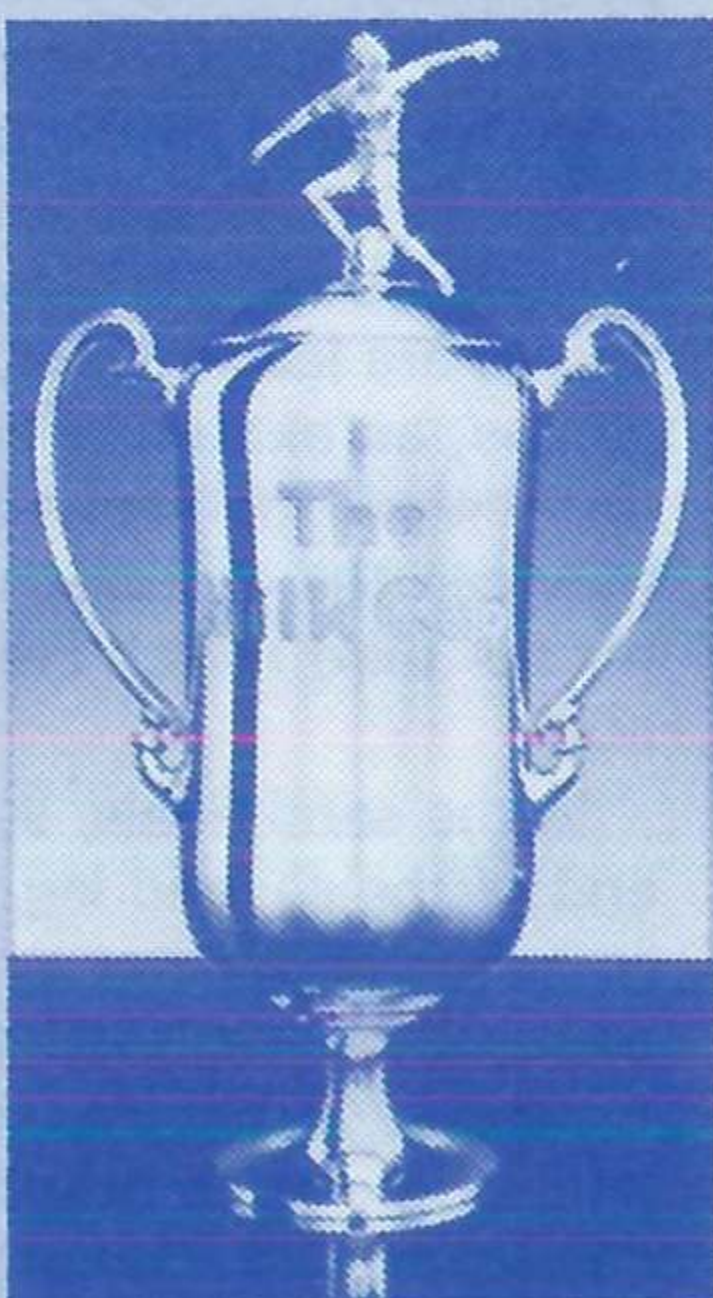
The detailed distribution of the £490,000 prize fund is as follows:

Winner	£64,000
Runner-up	£48,000
Losing semi-finalists	£32,000 each
Fifth round losers	£16,000 each
Fourth round losers	£8,000 each
Third round losers	£4,000 each
Second round losers	£2,500 each
First round losers	£1,500 each

THE NEW TROPHY

A new Milk Cup trophy has been produced to replace the original which now sits proudly in the trophy room at Anfield, following Liverpool's achievement in winning the competition three years in succession.

It has been made to exactly the same specifications as the old trophy although the engraving style has been altered and the trophy now sits on a round rosewood plinth.



THE TOPS — IN CROWD APPEAL

There was nothing, but nothing, to compare with the Milk Cup in soccer's crowd appeal "league" last season.

For Milk Cup attendances were up a staggering 10.7 per cent!



Joe Royle, the manager of Oldham Athletic, who hopes for a Milk Cup run to set the club on the road to success.

The competition embraced 168 matches. The gross attendance was 1,900,491 . . . which means the Milk Cup earned something in the region of £6 million in gate receipts for the clubs.

The round-by-round breakdown, with the 1982/83 figures in brackets for comparison purposes:

	Attendances		Matches	
1st Rd	216,901	(197,174)	56	(56)
2nd Rd	644,518	(612,470)	64	(64)
3rd Rd	353,664	(317,529)	24	(22)
4th Rd	230,423	(168,440)	24	(22)
5th Rd	171,268	(130,074)	6	(4)
SF	133,096	(155,519)	4	(4)
Final	150,621	(98,550)	2	(1)
	1,900,491(1,679,756)		168	(160)
Average per game:	1983/84 11,312		1982/83 10,498	

DAIRIES GO INTO EXTRA-TIME

There is more, much more, to the average Milk Cup tie than the result which makes media headlines. Milk Cup matches are ideal vehicles for local dairy companies to promote themselves, their services and their products.

No fewer than 47 of last season's Milk Cup matches were sponsored by local dairies. That was an increase of 27 per cent on the previous season and underlines the value of the sponsorship to the dairy industry.

S.A.F.E. POINTS THE WAY AHEAD

The National Dairy Council's sponsorship of the Milk Cup goes far beyond the touchlines of League club pitches.

It embraces many other activities. But few are so potentially far-reaching as S.A.F.E., which is the abbreviation for "Soccer As Family Entertainment". The project aims to increase family support at all Canon League and Milk Cup matches and to raise the level of interest in football at schools by encouraging coaching visits by local League club players. In short, its objective is complete interaction and reciprocal activity between League clubs and schools.

S.A.F.E. is the inspiration of John Maiden, a Norfolk schoolteacher. It derives from his work on links between Norwich City F.C. and the Norfolk schools, carried out at the University of East Anglia as part of his M.A. into Educational Research.

The NDC-sponsored project has gone from strength to



John Maiden shows David Stringer (Norwich City) the S.A.F.E. bus.

strength since its launch in September, 1983. More than half the League clubs have contacted John with details of their family schemes and invitations to visit them.

With the help of a Freight Rover-donated Sherpa minibus,

John plans a mounting-mileage winter propounding the theme of Soccer for the Family . . . with the help of the National Dairy Council and the Football League who will continue to support the S.A.F.E. project for the coming season.

THE MILK CUP CALENDAR FOR SEASON 1984/85

First round, first leg

Week commencing August 27, 1984

First round, second leg

Week commencing September 3, 1984

Second round, first leg

Week commencing September 24, 1984

Second round, second leg

Week commencing October 8, 1984

Third round

Week commencing October 29, 1984

Fourth round

Week commencing November 19, 1984

Fifth round

Week commencing January 14, 1985

Semi-final, first leg

Week commencing February 4, 1985

Semi-final, second leg

Week commencing February 11, 1985

FINAL

Sunday March 24, 1985

(With the exception of the Final, Milk Cup matches are normally played on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday evenings.)

If in the first and second rounds teams are level on goals after 180 minutes, then an extra half hour is played. If the aggregate scores are still level at the end of extra time, the tie is decided by goals scored (away from home counting double). If the teams remain equal after this procedure, the tie is decided by a penalty competition played in accordance with the Laws of the Game.

In the event of the scores being level after 90 minutes in the Third, Fourth and Fifth round matches, the match is replayed on the ground of the visiting club. If the scores are level at the end of 90 minutes in the replayed games, an extra half hour is played. If the match is still undecided, the venue for further replays alternates between the grounds of the competing clubs, the venue for the third match being determined by the toss of a coin.

In the semi-finals, if the aggregate score is level at the end of the second leg, an extra half hour is played. If the score is still level at the end of extra time, the match is replayed on a neutral ground. If the score is still level in the replay at the end of 90 minutes, extra time is played, and if the match is still undecided the winner is determined by a penalty competition played in accordance with the Laws of the Game.

If the score is still level at the end of 90 minutes in the final tie, an extra half hour is played. If the score is still level after extra time, then the game is replayed on a neutral ground. If the score is still level at the end of the replay, an extra half hour is played, and if then the scores are still level, the outcome is determined by a penalty competition played in accordance with the Laws of the Game.

Star Profile

A look back at some of the Wanderers past players



JOE SMITH leads out the Wanderers players who beat Manchester City 1-0 in the FA Cup Final at Wembley in 1926.

The size of the achievement that saw JOE SMITH hit 38 goals in 41 games for Bolton Wanderers during the 1920-21 season can best be measured by the fact that it has never been bettered by any player in the club's history. More significantly, though, it was no flash in the pan — no one-season wonder. For in 15 seasons, playing 450 League and Cup games for Bolton, SMITH scored more than 250 goals at the highest level of competition and in the company of the likes of David Jack and J. R. Smith — prolific goalscorers in their own right.

Renowned for his lethal left foot and devastating finishing style on the field and his devotion to Bolton Wanderers, SMITH had perhaps only two regrets. That he never won a League Championship medal nor was he allowed to serve the Wanderers after his playing days ended.

He managed, however, practically every other achievement. He twice captained Wanderers to success in the FA Cup, in 1923 and 1926, being the first man to receive the Cup at Wembley Stadium following Wanderers' success against West Ham in that famous "White Horse Final" of 1923.

He won eight international caps and after his distinguished playing career managed Reading for four years before taking charge at Blackpool where he had 23 years as manager including the bitter-sweet taste of success in 1953 when he managed Blackpool to their FA Cup Final success beating Wanderers 4-3 in that dramatic "Stanley Matthews Final".

That was not bad for the lad who left the iron forge in his native Staffordshire to join Wanderers in 1908 for a signing on fee of "10 gold sovereigns" and a weekly wage of 50 shillings plus £4 for every first team appearance.

"I felt like a millionaire" SMITH later recalled.

It was not long before he was earning those £4-a-match bonuses. SMITH made his debut the following year and his fierce left foot shot made him the scourge of opposition defences and a firm favourite of the Burnden Park crowds.

His last senior appearance for Wanderers was in January 1927 against Liverpool. Two months later he joined Stockport for £1,000 where he continued to score goals — 38 in the 1927-28 season.

He later played for Manchester Central and Darwen before turning to soccer management with Reading. SMITH confided at the time that he had hoped he could have found a job in football with the Wanderers and that leaving Bolton was an enormous wrench.

His 23 years at Bloomfield Road, however, was to set a long-service record at the time and only his age — so the Blackpool directors said — cost him his job in the end.

JOE SMITH died in August 1971, aged 82.



REFLECTIONS — It's December 1968 and a 79 years old Joe Smith looks back on those illustrious playing days.

Few players who have worn the colours of Bolton Wanderers have left such abiding memories on the supporters of the Burnden Park club as JOE SMITH whose career with the Wanderers spanned 18 years.

Our profile on YESTERDAY'S HEROES today highlights the career of the man who still holds, and many believe always will, the club's goalscoring record.

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BOLTON WANDERERS SQUAD

1984-85



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Date Opponents

1984	25	Bristol Rovers
Aug.	28	Oldham Athletic (MC1 1L)
Sept.	1	Derby County
	4	Oldham Athletic (MC1 2L)
	8	Hull City
	15	Rotherham United
	18	Swansea City
	22	Plymouth Argyle
	29	Doncaster Rovers
Oct.	2	Walsall
	6	Reading
	13	A.F.C. Bournemouth
	20	Preston North End
	23	Bristol City
	27	Burnley
Nov.	3	Lincoln City
	6	York City
	10	Newport County
	17	FA Cup 1
	24	Gillingham
Dec.	1	Brentford
	8	FA Cup 2
	15	Millwall
	22	Cambridge United
	26	Wigan Athletic
	29	Bradford City
1985	1	Orient
Jan.	5	Bristol Rovers (FA 3)
	12	Derby County
	19	Hull City
	26	Rotherham United (FA 4)
Feb.	2	Doncaster Rovers
	9	Plymouth Argyle
	12	Walsall
	16	Swansea City (FA 5)
	23	Lincoln City
Mar.	2	Burnley
	5	Bristol City
	9	Preston N.E. (FA 6)
	16	A.F.C. Bournemouth
	23	Reading
	24	Milk Cup Final
	29	York City
Apr.	6	Wigan Athletic
	9	Orient
	13	Newport County (FA SF)
	20	Gillingham
	27	Brentford
May	4	Millwall
	6	Bradford City
	11	Cambridge United
	18	FA Cup Final

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Att.



Warren Joyce in action against Bury in the Manx Cup.

FACTS

CANON LEAGUE DIVISION THREE

FINAL TABLE 1983-84

	HOME			AWAY			GOALS		Pts
	P	W	D	L	F	A	F	A	
Oxford United	46	17	5	1	58	22	33	28	95
Wimbledon	46	15	5	3	58	35	39	41	87
Sheffield United	46	14	7	2	56	18	30	35	83
Hull City	46	16	5	2	42	11	29	27	83
Bristol Rovers	46	16	5	2	47	21	21	33	79
Walsall	46	14	4	5	44	22	24	39	75
Bradford City	46	11	9	3	46	30	27	35	71
Gillingham	46	13	4	6	50	29	24	40	70
Millwall	46	16	4	3	42	18	29	47	67
Bolton Wanderers	46	13	4	6	36	17	20	43	64
Orient	46	13	5	5	40	27	31	54	63
Burnley	46	12	5	6	52	25	24	36	62
Newport Town	46	11	9	3	35	27	23	48	62
Lincoln City	46	11	4	8	42	29	17	33	61
Wigan Athletic	46	11	5	7	26	18	20	38	61
Preston N.E.	46	12	5	6	42	27	14	24	56
Bournemouth	46	11	5	7	38	27	25	46	55
Rotherham United	46	10	5	8	29	17	28	47	54
Plymouth Argyle	46	11	8	4	38	17	18	45	51
Brentford	46	8	9	6	41	30	13	28	49
Scunthorpe Utd.	46	9	9	5	40	31	14	42	46
Southend United	46	8	9	6	34	24	21	52	44
Port Vale	46	10	4	9	33	29	18	54	43
Exeter City	46	4	8	11	27	39	23	45	33

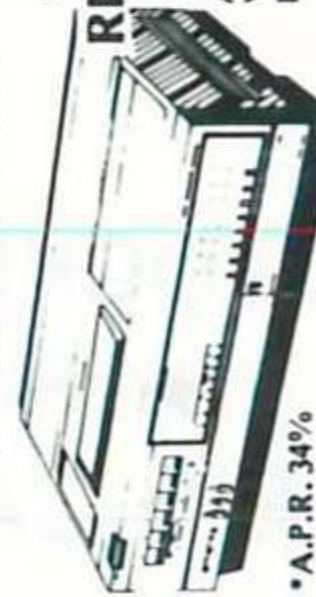
CENTRAL LEAGUE FIXTURES

Date	Opponents	Goals F A
1984		
Aug.	29 Rotherham	
Sept.	4 Leeds United	
	12 Doncaster Rovers	
	19 Oldham Athletic	
	26 Hull City	
Oct.	3 Middlesbrough	
	10 Port Vale	
	17 Grimsby Town	
	24 Leicester City	
	30 Preston North End	
Nov.	8 Blackpool	
	13 Wigan Athletic	
	21 Scunthorpe	
	27 Burnley	
Dec	5 York City	
	10 Wolverhampton Wanderers	
	19 Sunderland	
1985		
Jan.	8 Rotherham United	
	16 Leeds United	
	23 Doncaster Rovers	
	30 Oldham Athletic	
Feb.	6 Middlesbrough	
	13 Hull City	
	20 Wigan Athletic	
	26 Blackpool	
Mar.	7 Preston North End	
	11 Leicester City	
	19 Grimsby Town	
	27 Port Vale	
Apr.	3 Scunthorpe	
	10 Burnley	
	17 York City	
	23 Sunderland	
May	1 Wolverhampton Wanderers	

THE CENTRAL LEAGUE FINAL TABLE 1983/84

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Liverpool	30	18	7	5	57	33	61
Manchester Utd.	30	17	6	7	64	34	57
Aston Villa	30	16	6	8	50	29	54
Nottingham Forest	30	14	10	6	60	38	52
Everton	30	16	3	11	53	35	51
West Bromwich A.	30	14	7	9	46	35	49
Newcastle United	30	14	7	9	44	37	49
Derby County	30	11	7	12	45	42	40
Stoke City	30	11	6	13	52	59	39
Sheffield Wed.	30	11	5	14	52	61	38
Blackburn Rovers	30	10	6	14	38	46	36
Sheffield United	30	10	6	14	38	59	36
Sunderland	30	9	3	18	36	54	30
Leeds United	30	7	7	16	37	51	28
Bolton Wanderers	30	8	3	19	35	68	27
Burnley	30	5	9	16	19	45	24

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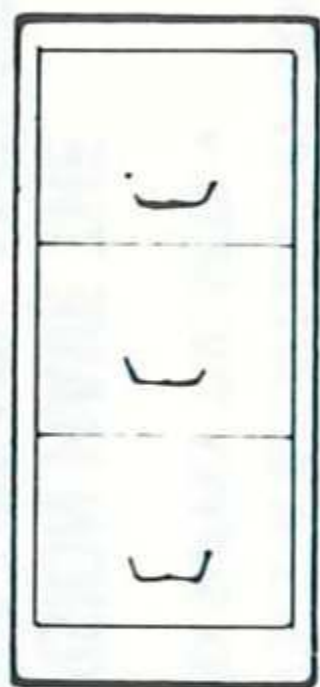
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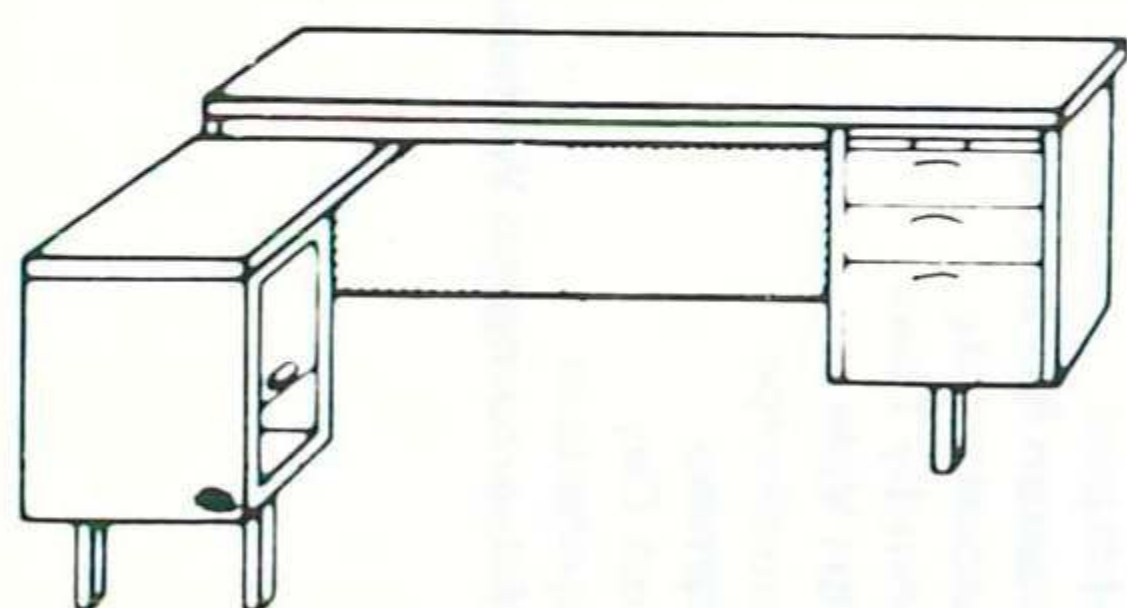
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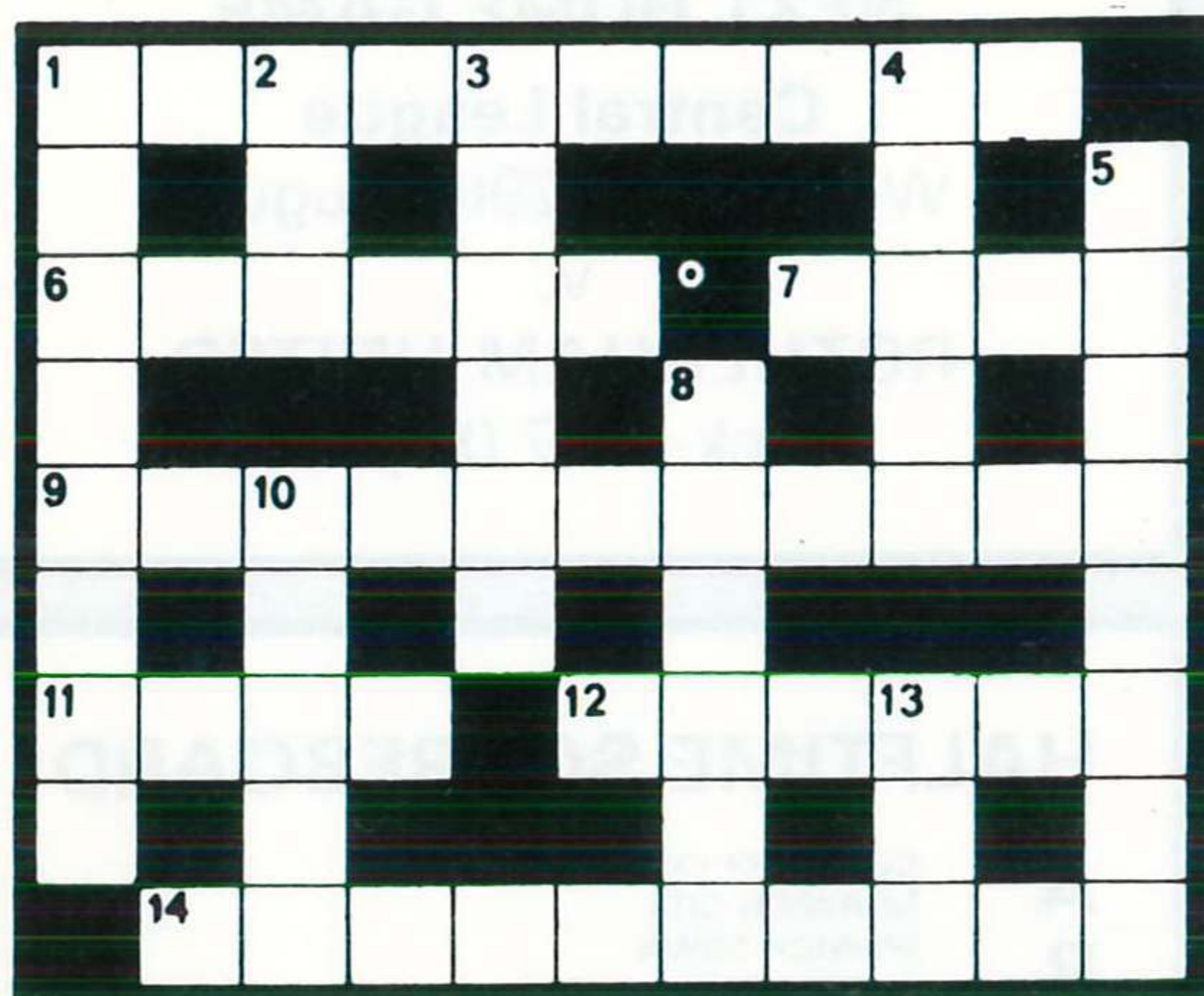
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CROSSWORD No. 2

ACROSS

- Club which in 1984 rejoined the division it had left in 1983 (10)
- Hard shots (6)
- The metal in the nickname of *1 across* (4)
- Founder-members of Division Two in 1892, they have never gone higher (and are now lower) (7, 4)
- Follow the Maine one to Manchester? (4)
- Midfielder Keith _____ scarcely appeared with West Ham but had about 400 League games with Bournemouth in the 1970s (6)
- It could be part of the route to, for example, the FA Cup Final — for spectators, that is (7, 3)



DOWN

- Walsall's nickname (8)
- The famous one of the Hoeness brothers (3)
- Storton, say (6)
- Long-serving Real Madrid midfielder who debuted for Spain in the 1966 World Cup and skippered the country in the 1978 finals (5)
- As a scorer in the 1984 FA Cup Final, he could be said to have found the *14 across*! (4, 4)
- ... is *this* right? Yes! (6)
- He joined *9 across* from *1 across* nearly 10 years ago and has enjoyed a parallel career as a county cricketer of distinction (5)
- Theoretically at least, a big 'keeper would have most difficulty with a _____ shot (3)

Answers to No. 1: **ACROSS:** 1. Paul Cooper, 7. Italy, 8. shirt, 9. Blues, 12. Larry (Reds), 13. Allen, 14. *Grandstand*. **DOWN:** 2. Ajax, 3. Loyalty, 4. Phil, 5. Rothmans, 6. first leg, 8. Stewart, 10. area, 11. Alan.

QUICK QUIZ No. 2

- On Saturday 10 September 1983 two neighbouring clubs each had a player score five — can you name the players?
- Also in September 1983 Pat Jennings won his 100th cap — against which country?
- Which club last scored 100 in a First Division season?
- Who managed Barcelona before Terry Venables?
- Which former League club topped the Northern Premier League in 1984?

Answers to No. 1

1. Norwich City, 2. Elton John and Robert Maxwell, 3. Reading, Brentford and Fulham, 4. Poland and Norway, 5. Birmingham City, Bristol Rovers.

ANSWERS IN THE NEXT PROGRAMME

MIXED DOUBLES No. 2

Re-order the letters in each of the words

PROTEIN and **MEAL**

to reveal two "OLD ENGLAND MEN"

Answers to No. 1: SENIOR and EDWARDS

FITNESS TEST No. 2

Re-arrange all the letters of **OSSIE ARDILES** to create four four-letter words that fit the edges of the diamond.

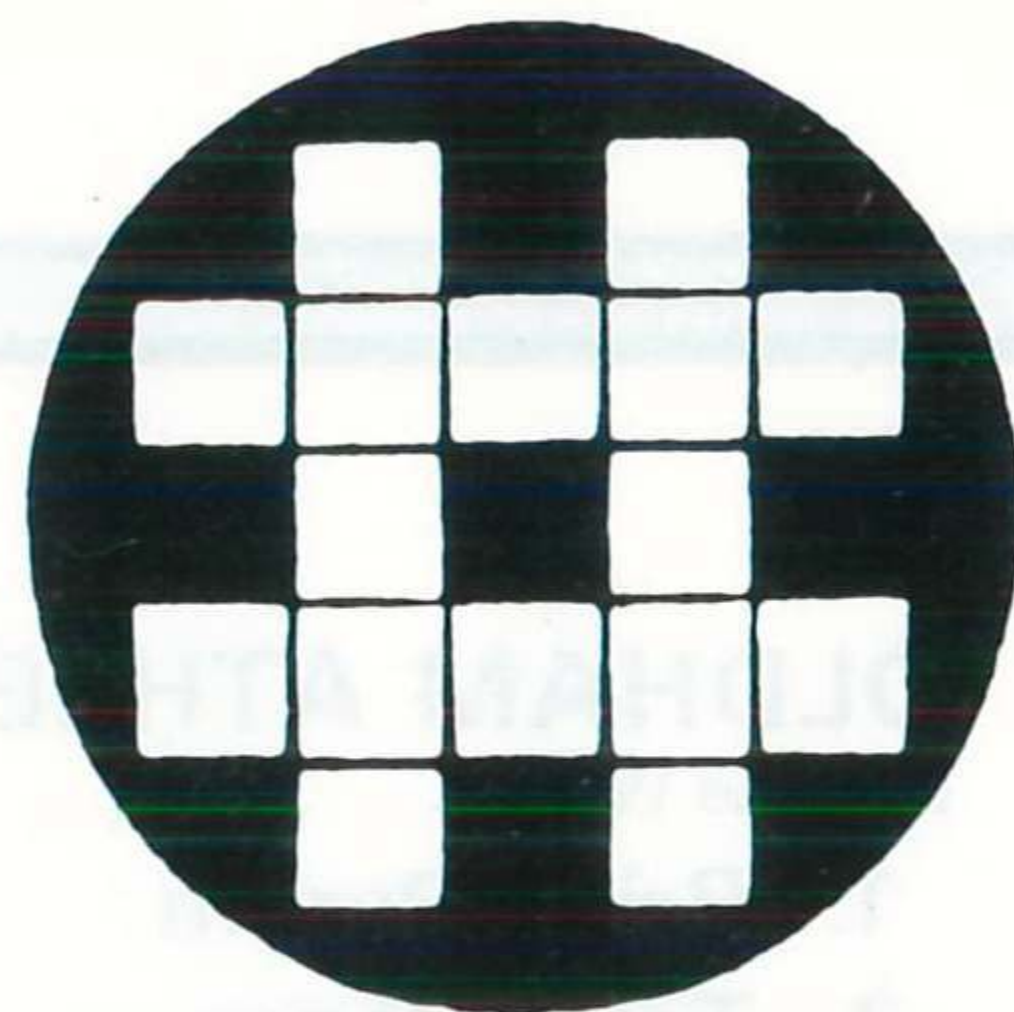
Answers to No. 1
TALL/LONE, TRIM/MINE



ON THE BALL No. 2

Every answer has five letters and the first one fits into the top line, but you have to decide where the rest must go.

200-goal Les
Niedzwiecki's name
Manager Ken
Full-back Kenny



Answers to No. 1: DAVID, ANGLE, BILLY, DANNY.

Puzzle Page

Teams

BOLTON WANDERERS

White and Navy Blue

1. Simon Farnworth
2. Brian Borrows
3. Jimmy Phillips
4. Warren Joyce
5. Neil Berry
6. Ray Deakin
7. Steve Thompson
8. Jeff Chandler
9. George Oghani
10. Tony Caldwell
11. Graham Bell
- 12.

OLDHAM ATHLETIC

Blue and White

1. Brian Parkin
2. Tony Henry
3. Willie Donachie
4. Nick Sinclair
5. Kenny Clements
6. Gary Hoolickin
7. Mark Ward
8. Andy Barlow
9. Mike Quinn
10. Derrick Parker
11. Roger Palmer
- 12.

Tonight's Referee: RON BRIDGES (Deeside)

Distribution manager for large supermarket company. Married with two boys. Progressed via the Cheshire League. Secretary of local senior and junior football league. Interested in gardening. As a FIFA official has refereed many European Cup matches and last season refereed the final Home Championship match between England and Northern Ireland.

Linesmen: E. HART (Preston) Red Flag
S. SEFTON (Liverpool) Yellow Flag

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Wednesday 29th August

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B	NORWICH CITY
C	IPSWICH TOWN
D	LUTON TOWN
E	SOUTHAMPTON
F	MANCHESTER UNITED
G	WATFORD
H	QUEENS PARK RANGERS
I	BRIGHTON AND HOVE ALBION
J	NOTTS COUNTY
K	CHARLTON ATHLETIC
L	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN
M	ALDERSHOT
N	AFC BOURNEMOUTH
O	BLACKPOOL
P	CHESTER CITY
Q	BRENTFORD
R	CAMBRIDGE UNITED
S	BRISTOL CITY
T	NEWPORT COUNTY
U	BURNLEY
V	CREWE ALEXANDRA
W	DARLINGTON
X	ROTHERHAM UNITED
	DONCASTER ROVERS
	YORK CITY
	GILLINGHAM
	COLCHESTER UNITED
	HALIFAX TOWN
	CHESTERFIELD
	ORIENT
	SOUTHEND UNITED
	PORT VALE
	BURY
	PORTSMOUTH
	WIMBLEDON
	SCUNTHORPE UNITED
	MANSFIELD TOWN
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